

# JOHN TAYLOR TALKS.

Albuquerque Democrat.

John Taylor, the prophet, seer and revelator, and president of that world-famed matrimonial bureau, the Mormon church, passed through Albuquerque, the other evening, en route to his home in Salt Lake. The distinguished husband was interviewed by a Democrat reporter of that city, and the following is the result:

"Mr. Taylor," said the reporter, "the readers of the Democrat would greatly enjoy a published chat with you. Are you willing to talk and have your words given to the world in print?"

"Oh, yes," he replied.

"Are you a married man, Mr. Taylor?"

"Yes. I have quite a herd of wives. I cannot complain of the matrimonial blessings which the Lord has showered upon me."

"How many wives have you, Mr. Taylor?"

"Really, young man, I could not answer that question with any degree of accuracy without looking at the book. In governing my people I have so much to look after that I cannot keep track of such trivial matters."

"And do you know the number of your children?"

"Not exactly. I think the last report placed the number at ninety-four, but that was when I received my last letter from home two weeks ago. When the letter was written there had been no late returns received from branches of my family circle at points remote from the railroad, and the figures are no doubt incorrect. The official returns, after the season's crop is harvested, will probably largely increase this number."

"Wheat is the principal crop of Utah, is it not?"

"No sir! No sir! Our principal crop is babies. We challenge the world to compete with us in raising babies. Utah is one vast living sea of chubby kids and kiddesses—a modern Baby-land, if you will pardon a saintly pun. Our success in this one branch of kidculture challenges the admiration of the world. We make a specialty of it, and the Lord crowns our labors with abundant success. You needn't give it away, but the material for most of the kid gloves now manufactured comes from Zion."

"Will you telegraph your wives that you are coming, Mr. Taylor, and ask them to meet you at the depot?"

"No; that would never do. Since the Gentile invaders have come among us metropolitan notions have held sway, and the police would arrest them for blocking up the streets. I shall go quietly to my house and issue a call for a mass meeting and greet my beloved companions in the sanctity of our own home, away from the vulgar gaze of the staring populace. After a long absence a meeting between husband and wives is too sacred for the rude eyes of the world to rest upon. Another objection to an open air meeting lies in the fact that if I should form my wives in line on the sidewalk and start in to give each one a kiss of welcome, heaven only knows how many strange women might get into the ranks and rob me of smacks to which they have no marital right. Experience has taught us that we cannot be too careful in guarding against imposters. But the bell is ringing, young man, and the train will move in a minute. I will bid you good bye."

"Good bye, Mr. Taylor. Give my love to your wives when you reach home."

"If you will have it printed in circular form and send it to me, I will have it distributed among them but life is too short to think of verbally delivering it to each one in person. Good bye."

"Adios."

In Rio Janeiro is a large and gloomy convent in which the wives of soldiers are confined during their husbands' absence. The barbarous custom is sanctioned by age, and one woman has been confined in it for twenty-five long dreary years.

## RAILROADS.

### Atlantic & Pacific R. R. TIME-TABLE.

Trains on this Road are run on standard time "Mountain Division."

Arizona Expr. Leaves.	STATIONS.	Atlantic Expr. Arrives.
3:40 a.m.	Albuquerque	10:00 p.m.
4:15 " "	Laguna	8:00 " "
4:50 " "	Grants	6:00 " "
5:25 " "	Coolidge	5:00 " "
6:00 " "	Wingate	4:00 " "
6:35 " "	Gallop	3:00 " "
7:10 " "	Manuelito	2:00 " "
7:45 " "	Holbrook	1:00 " "
8:20 " "	Winslow	12:00 " "
8:55 " "	Flagstaff	11:00 " "
9:30 " "	Canon Diablo	10:00 " "
10:05 " "	Williams	9:00 " "
10:40 " "	Ash Fork	8:00 " "
11:15 " "	Peach Springs	7:00 " "
11:50 " "	Truxton	6:00 " "
12:25 " "	Hackberry	5:00 " "
1:00 " "	Hualapai	4:00 " "
1:35 " "	Beal	3:00 " "
2:10 " "	Kingman	2:00 " "
2:45 " "	Drake	1:00 " "
3:20 " "	Yucca	12:00 " "
3:55 " "	Francisco	11:00 " "
4:30 " "	Powell	10:00 " "
5:05 " "	East Bridge	9:00 " "
5:40 " "	"Needles"	8:00 " "
6:15 " "	Fenner	7:00 " "
6:50 " "	Danby	6:00 " "
7:25 " "	Amboy	5:00 " "
8:00 " "	Ludlow	4:00 " "
8:35 " "	Daggett	3:00 " "
9:10 " "	Hickley	2:00 " "
9:45 " "	Rogers	1:00 " "
10:20 " "	Mojave	12:00 a.m.

Via Laguna, to the Indian Village of Acoma, 10 m.  
Via Wingate, to Ft. Wingate, 3 m. to Zuni, 45 m.  
Via Manuelito, to Ft. Defiance (Navajo Agency), 25 m.; to Canon de Chelly, 55 m.; to Keams Canyon, 90 m.; to Holbrook, Tri-weekly Stages, to St. Johns, 85 m.; to Ft. Apache, 60 m.; to Springerville, 65 m.; to Showlow, 50 m.; Taylorville, 35 m.; Moqui Indian Village, 40 m.  
Via Winslow, to Brigham City and Summit.  
Via Ash Fork, Daily Stages to Prescott and Whipple Barracks, 54 miles. Daily Stages from Prescott to Phoenix, and Tri-weekly Stages to Ft. Verde.  
Via Peach Springs, to the GRAND CANYON OF THE COLORADO, 17 miles.  
Via Kingman, Daily Stages to Stockton Hill, 10 miles; to Mineral Park, 10 miles.  
Via Yucca, to Signal, 40 miles.  
Via Needles, Steamers to Yuma, Colorado River Agency, Ft. Mohave, Mohave City and Hardyville, Arizona, and Eldorado Canyon, Nevada.  
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F. W. SMITH, Gen'l Superintendent.  
W. C. NIXON, Agent, Albuquerque, N. M.

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#### TIME-TABLE.

(Southern Division.)

Eastward.	STATIONS.	Westward.
6:00 A.M.	AT. KAS CV LV	10:10 P.M.
5:20 " "	ATCHISON	10:25 " "
2:05 A.M.	TOPEKA	12:50 A.M.
11:25 " "	Emporia	4:00 " "
7:50 " "	Raton	4:10 " "
6:03 " "	Springer	5:53 " "
2:45 " "	Lv. *VEGAS A	8:50 " "
2:20 " "	Ar. *VEGAS L	9:30 " "
3:20 P.M.	Hot Springs	10:05 " "
11:35 " "	Glorieta	12:42 P.M.
10:30 " "	LAMY	1:40 " "
12:00 " "	Santa Fe	3:00 " "
9:37 " "	Cerrillos	2:47 " "
8:55 " "	Lv. *Wallace Ar	3:30 " "
8:15 " "	Ar	4:15 " "
6:30 " "	ALBUQUERQUE	4:10 " "
6:00 " "	A. & P. Junction	7:19 " "
3:31 " "	Socorro	10:34 " "
2:25 A.M.	San Marcial	11:55 " "
11:23 " "	Rincon	3:45 A.M.
10:33 " "	Nutt	5:07 " "
9:40 P.M.	DEMING	6:20 " "

\*Stop for meals. Trains on New Mexico Line are run on "Mountain Time."

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BILLINGS LAND AND CATTLE CO. Cattle brand Diamond in circle, on left side or hip and B left jaw. Horse brand: on left shoulder. Range: Billings on Rio Puerco. P. O. address: Holbrook, Ariz.

WABASH CATTLE CO. Cattle brand same as cut on right side. Ear mark—right ear underbit. Horse brand same as cut on right shoulder. Range: Salt Lake Apache Co. Ariz. P. O. address: Navajo Springs, Arizona.

JAMES M. HIGGINS. Cattle brand same as cut, on left side. Horse brand same on left flank. Range: Little Colorado River, near Holbrook. P. O. address: Holbrook, Ariz.

A. HUGLE & CO. Cattle brand O on left ribs, and H on left jaw. Ear mark—both ears split. Horse brand: H on left thigh. Range: 20 miles west of Holbrook. P. O. address: Holbrook, Ariz.

JAMES D. HOUCK. Horse brand same as cut, on left hip. Range: Little Colorado River, near Rio Puerco. Post Office address: Holbrook, Arizona.

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